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LONDON FOR ROCKEFELLER ADVANCE LEADER CANZERI

STATE FOR A/CONDAYN AND NEA/ATHERTON

USUN FOR CATHY HULDRUM, RM. 5600 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: OVIP (ROCKEFELLER, NELSON)
SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF NELSON A. ROCKEFELLER

REF: CAIRO 4455 (NOTAL)

1. AMBASSADOR DELIGHTED THAT GOVERNOR ROCKEFELLER ABLE
ACCEPT INVITATION TO PRIVATE LUNCHEON ON ARRIVAL MARCH 27
AND DINNER MARCH 28. EMBASSY CONFIRMS LUNCHEON PARTICIPANTS
AS STATED PARA 1 REFTEL AND WILL ADVISE GUEST LIST FOR DINNER
WHEN AVAILABLE. IN ORDER TO ALLOW MAXIMUM TIME AFTERNOON
MARCH 27 FOR MEETINGS AND SHOPPING, AMBASSADOR SUGGESTS
GOVERNOR AND MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND MISS MURPHY MAY WISH TO
COME DIRECTLY TO RESIDENCE FROM AIRPORT SENDING LUGGAGE VIA
SEPARATE CAR TO HOTEL. PLEASE ADVISE.

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2. SYRIAN SECURITY SERVICES WILL MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR
PALMYRA VISIT IN ACCORDANCE WITH DESIRED SCHEDULE PARA 4
REFTEL. SYRIAN SECURITY HAS AGREED TO PROVIDE CARS AND
ESCORT AT PALMYRA. BELIEVE IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IN TERMS
OF TRIP ARRANGEMENTS IF GOVERNOR COULD INVITE SYRIAN
SECURITY LIAISON OFFICER ADNAN BARNEIH TO ACCOMPANY PARTY

TO PALMYRA. HE IS BLUFF, PERSONABLE, COOPERATIVE OFFICER WHO SPEAKS GOOD ENGLISH AND WOULD BE HONORED TO RECEIVE SUCH AN INVITATION. EMBASSY WILL ALSO ATTEMPT LOCATE MOST CAPABLE ENGLISH-SPEAKING GUIDE TO PALMYRA RUINS. IF THIS GUIDE IS ALSO IN DAMASCUS, WE HOPE THERE WOULD BE ROOM ON GOVERNOR'S PLANE FOR HIM TO ACCOMPANY PARTY. PLEASE ADVISE.

3. FONMINISTRY ADVISES THAT FOREIGN MINISTER KHADDAM WILL MEET GOVERNOR AFTERNOON MARCH 27 BUT HAS NOT YET SET TIME REQUEST FOR AUDIENCE WITH PRESIDENT ASAD IS PENDING. SINCE TIMING FOR ASAD APPOINTMENT MAY NOT BE KNOWN UNTIL LAST MINUTE SUGGEST GOVERNOR PLAN TO ACCOMPANY MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND MISS MURPHY SHOPPING AFTER AMBASSADOR'S LUNCHEON OR CALL ON KHADDAM. EMBASSY RADIO CAR WOULD ALSO ACCOMPANY PARTY TO RELAY TIME OF APPOINTMENT WHEN SET. THIS CAN BE WORKED OUT WITH SECURITY ADVANCE MAN WHEN HE RETURNS. MISS NANCY BARBER AND WIFE OF DCM, PAM PELLETREAU, WILL BE AVAILABLE TO ACCOMPANY ROCKEFELLERS ON SHOPPING AND TOURS THROUGHOUT STAY. MURPHY

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